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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

~~Re~~ Application of:

Nicholas Luke Bennett, et al.

Application No: 09/856,869

Filed: May 13, 2003

For: SLOT MACHINE PIN AND
BALL GAME

Examiner: Kim T Nguyen

Art Unit: 3713

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time to file a Response to the Office Communication mailed on July 3, 2006. The extended period expires on October 3, 2006.

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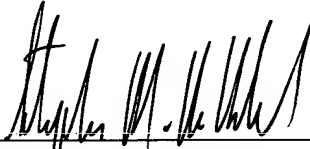
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A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a two-month extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,
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